

**REPORT OF THE  
SELECT JOINT COMMITTEE ON  
MEDICAID OVERSIGHT**



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# Select Joint Committee on Medicaid Oversight

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## **I. STATUTORY DIRECTIVE**

The Indiana General Assembly enacted legislation directing the Committee to study, investigate, and oversee the following:

- (1) Whether the contractor of the Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning (OMPP) that has responsibility for processing provider claims for payment under the Medicaid program has properly performed the terms of the contractor's contract with the state.
- (2) Legislative and administrative procedures that are needed to eliminate Medicaid claims reimbursement backlogs, delays, and errors.
- (3) The establishment and implementation of a case mix reimbursement system designed for Indiana Medicaid certified nursing facilities developed by OMPP.
- (4) Any other matter related to Medicaid.

## **II. SUMMARY OF WORK PROGRAM**

The Committee met five times in the State House during the 1998 interim: June 25; July 30; September 22; October 27; and November 23. Minutes of the meetings may be accessed from the General Assembly Internet site at:

<http://www.state.in.us/legislative/interim/committees/cimr.html>

## **III. COMMITTEE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Committee recommended PD 3828 which would require OMPP to seek a home and community-based Medicaid waiver for individuals with traumatic brain injury. The waiver would consist of 200 slots. The motion to recommend PD 3828 passed nine to zero on a roll call vote.